

anticipated, the requester shall be notified of the amount of the anticipated fee of such portion thereof as can readily be estimated. In such cases, a request will not be deemed to have been received until the requester is notified of the anticipated cost and agrees to bear it. Such notification shall be transmitted as soon as possible, but in any event within five working days, giving the best estimate then available. The notification shall offer the requester the opportunity to confer with Board personnel with the object of reformulating the request so as to meet his needs at lower cost.

(f) *Advance deposit.* (1) Where the anticipated fee chargeable under this section exceeds \$25, an advance deposit of 25 percent of the anticipated fee or \$25, whichever is greater, may be required.

(2) Where a requester has previously failed to pay a fee under this section, an advance deposit of the full amount of the anticipated fee may be required. In any case requiring a deposit, the request will not be deemed to be received until receipt of such deposit.

(g) *Individual inspection and copying.* Persons may inspect and copy records by their own means in the principal office of the Board without charge except for any search charges payable pursuant to this section.

(h) *Remittance of fees.* Remittances shall be made payable to the order of the Renegotiation Board and mailed to the Renegotiation Board, Attention: Director, Office of Administration, Washington, D.C. 20446. The Board will assume no responsibility for cash which is lost in the mail.

(i) *Waiver of fee.* The Board shall waive any fee or charges prescribed in this part in any instance in which the Board, in its discretion, determines such waiver to primarily benefit the general public. There shall be no charge for the making or authentication of copies of records required for use by other agencies of the Government.

(Sec. 109, 65 Stat. 22; 50 U.S.C.A., App., Sec. 1219)

[FR Doc.75-8287 Filed 3-28-75;8:45 am]

Title 36—Parks, Forests, and Memorials
CHAPTER I—NATIONAL PARK SERVICE,
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area, Pennsylvania and New Jersey; Off-Road Use of Vehicles

PART 7—SPECIAL REGULATIONS, AREAS OF THE NATIONAL PARK SYSTEM

A proposal was published at page 43090 of the FEDERAL REGISTER of December 10, 1974, to amend Part 7 of Title 36 of the Code of Federal Regulations by adding a new §7.71(b). The purpose of this amendment is to designate a snowmobile route as required by Executive Order 11644 (37 FR 2877) and Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 2, §2.34.

Interested persons were given 30 days within which to submit written com-

ments, suggestions, or objections with respect to the proposed amendment. No comments, suggestions, or objections have been received, and the proposed amendment is hereby adopted without change and set forth below. This amendment shall take effect on April 30, 1975. (5 U.S.C. 553; 16 U.S.C. 3)

JAMES L. McLAUGHLIN,
Superintendent, Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area.

§ 7.71 Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area.

(b) Designated Snowmobile Routes.

(1) A route in Middle Smithfield Township, Monroe County, Pennsylvania, bounded by the Delaware River on the east and Hidden Lake on the west. The route begins at the Smithfield Beach parking area and is in two loops. Loop One is a small trail approximately 3 miles long and follows the west bank of the Delaware River and closely parallels the east side of L.R. 45012 (commonly known as the River Road). Loop two is approximately 6 miles long and begins at the northwest end of Loop One; it goes northwesterly along the ridge west of the Delaware River, then goes southerly along the ridge which is east of Hidden Lake to a point opposite the south end of Hidden Lake, and then goes easterly until it returns to Loop One near L.R. 45012. Maps of the route are available at Smithfield Beach and at the office of the Superintendent. Both loops are marked by appropriate signs.

[FR Doc.75-8211 Filed 3-28-75;8:45 am]

Title 38—Pensions, Bonuses, and Veterans' Relief

CHAPTER I—VETERANS ADMINISTRATION

PART 3—ADJUDICATION

Subpart A—Pension, Compensation, and Dependency and Indemnity Compensation
Disappearance of Veteran; Awards to Dependents

On page 4455 of the FEDERAL REGISTER of January 30, 1975, there was published a notice of proposed regulatory development to amend paragraph (c) of § 3.656 to provide that payments to beneficiaries under that section will be continued until a finding of presumptive death is made instead of terminating at the end of the 7-year period of continued absence. Under this amendment payments will not be suspended while development of evidence is in progress.

Interested persons were given 30 days in which to submit comments, suggestions, or objections regarding the proposed regulation.

No written objections have been received. One favorable comment was received and the proposed regulation is hereby adopted without change and is set forth below.

Effective date. This VA Regulation is effective March 25, 1975.

Approved: March 25, 1975.

R. L. ROUDEBUSH,
Administrator.

In § 3.656 paragraph (c) is revised to read as follows:

§ 3.656 Disappearance of veteran.

(c) Awards to dependents will not be continued under this section in any case where the facts are such as to bring into effect the presumption of death under § 3.212.

[FR Doc.75-8246 Filed 3-28-75;8:45 am]

PART 3—ADJUDICATION

Subpart A—Pension, Compensation, and Dependency and Indemnity Compensation

INCREASED PENSION RATES

The Administrator of Veterans' Affairs amends § 3.351 of Title 38, Code of Federal Regulations, to incorporate increased pension rates provided by Pub. L. 93-527 (88 Stat. 1702).

Section 521(d) of Title 38, United States Code, provides for payment of an additional monthly allowance to a veteran who is receiving pension and is in need of regular aid and attendance. Pub. L. 93-527, effective January 1, 1975, increased this allowance from \$110 to \$123. Section 521(e) provides for payment of an additional monthly housebound rate to a veteran who has a disability rated permanent and total and has additional disabilities rated at 60 percent or more and to a veteran who because of disabilities is housebound but does not qualify for the aid and attendance allowance. Pub. L. 93-527 increased the housebound rate from \$44 to \$49. Prior to this amendment § 3.351(d) reflected the rates in effect prior to the effective date of Pub. L. 93-527. The amendment substitutes the aid and attendance and housebound rates provided by Pub. L. 93-527 for the former rates. Minor editorial changes are made in § 3.351 designed to reflect agency policy to avoid any appearance of seeming to preclude benefits for female veterans, their dependents and beneficiaries. An additional editorial change is made in paragraph (a) which deletes a reference to Mexican Border period service which is not pertinent to entitlement under the pension laws in effect on June 30, 1960.

Compliance with the provisions of § 1.12 of this chapter, as to notice of proposed regulatory development and delayed effective date, is unnecessary in this instance and would serve no useful purpose since the amendments are editorial in nature and do not effect a change in benefits.

In § 3.351, paragraphs (a), (c) (introduction), (d) (introduction), (d) (2) and (e) are revised to read as follows:

§ 3.351 Special monthly dependency and indemnity compensation, death compensation and pension ratings.

(a) *Aid and attendance; general.* Additional pension for veterans in need of

regular aid and attendance is provided for Indian War veterans (38 U.S.C. 511); Spanish-American War veterans (38 U.S.C. 512); and for veterans of the Mexican border period, World War I, World War II, the Korean conflict or the Vietnam era (38 U.S.C. 521). Additional pension for widows and widowers in need of regular aid and attendance is provided for widows and widowers of veterans of all periods of war, including those entitled to pension under the law in effect on June 30, 1960, based on service in World War I, World War II or the Korean conflict (38 U.S.C. 544). Additional dependency and indemnity compensation and death compensation for widows and widowers and for parents in need of regular aid and attendance is provided for widows and widowers and for parents of veterans of all periods of service. (38 U.S.C. 322(b), 411(c), 415(h))

(c) *Aid and attendance; criteria.* The veteran, widow, widower, or parent will be considered in need of regular aid and attendance if he or she:

(d) *Permanent and total plus 60 percent, or housebound; 38 U.S.C. 521.* The monthly rate of pension otherwise payable to a veteran who is entitled to pension under 38 U.S.C. 521 and who does not qualify for increased pension (\$123) based on need of regular aid and attendance shall be increased by \$49 if, in addition to having a single permanent disability rated as 100 percent without resort to individual unemployability, the veteran:

(2) Is permanently housebound by reason of disability or disabilities. This requirement is met when the veteran is substantially confined as a direct result of disabilities to his or her dwelling and the immediate premises or, if institutionalized, to the ward or clinical area, and it is reasonably certain that the disability or disabilities and resultant confinement will continue throughout his or her lifetime. (38 U.S.C. 502(c), 521(e))

(e) *Permanent and total plus 60 percent, or housebound; protected pension.* Where a veteran is entitled to pension under the law in effect on June 30, 1960, based on service in World War I, World War II or the Korean conflict, and does not qualify for increased pension (\$135.45 monthly) based on need of regular aid and attendance, the monthly rate of pension will be \$100 monthly in lieu of the pension otherwise payable if, in addition to having a single permanent disability rated as 100 percent under regular schedular evaluation, he or she has additional disability or is permanently housebound as specified in paragraph (d) (1) or (2) of this section. (Sec. 110, Pub. L. 90-77; 81 Stat. 178)

Effective date. This VA Regulation is effective January 1, 1975.

Approved: March 25, 1975.

[SEAL] R. L. ROUEBUSH,
Administrator.

[FR Doc. 75-8245 Filed 3-28-75; 8:45 am]

Title 40—Protection of Environment

CHAPTER I—ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPP-262801; FRL 352-1]

PART 180—TOLERANCES AND EXEMPTIONS FROM TOLERANCES FOR PESTICIDE CHEMICALS IN OR ON RAW AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES

Certain Inert Ingredients in Pesticide Formulations

On December 13, 1974, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) published in the *FEDERAL REGISTER* (39 FR 34409) a notice of proposed rulemaking to exempt certain inert (or occasionally active) ingredients in pesticide formulations from tolerance requirements under the provisions of section 408 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act. No comments or requests for referral to an advisory committee have been received and the proposed regulation is hereby adopted with editorial changes as set forth below.

Any person adversely affected by this regulation may on or before April 30, 1975, file written objections with the Hearing Clerk, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street SW., East Tower, Room 1019, Washington, D.C. 20460. Such objections should be submitted in quintuplicate and specify the provisions of the regulation deemed objectionable and the grounds for the objections. If a hearing is requested, the objections must state the issues for the hearing. A hearing will be granted if the objections are supported by grounds legally sufficient to justify the relief sought.

Effective March 31, 1975, § 180.1001 of 40 CFR is amended to read as follows.

(Sec. 408(e) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 346a(e)))

Dated: March 24, 1975.

EDWIN L. JOHNSON,
Acting Deputy Assistant Administrator for Pesticide Programs.

Section 180.1001 is amended by (1) revising the item "N,N-Bis(2-omega-...)" in paragraph (a) and (2) alphabetically inserting new items in paragraphs (c), (d), and (e), as follows:

§ 180.1001 Exemptions from the requirement of a tolerance.

(c) ***

Inert ingredients	Limits	Uses
***	***	***
Furcellaran.....	***	Thickener.
***	***	***
α-Lauroyl-omega-hydroxypoly (oxyethylene), average molecular weight of 600.	***	Emulsifier.
***	***	***
Mono- and diglycerides of C ₈ -C ₁₈ fatty acids.	***	Surfactants, related adjuvants of surfactants.
***	***	***
α-Oleoyl-omega-hydroxypoly (oxyethylene), average molecular weight of 600.	***	Emulsifier.
***	***	***
Polyethylene, oxidized conforming to title 21, § 121.1142.	***	Coating agent.
***	***	***
Polyoxyethylene (20) sorbitan monostearate.	***	Surfactants, related adjuvants of surfactants.
***	***	***
Sodium mono-, di-, and triisopropyl naphthalene sulfonate.	***	Surfactant, related adjuvants of surfactants.
***	***	***
α-Stearoyl-omega-hydroxypoly (oxyethylene), average molecular weight of 600.	***	Emulsifier.
***	***	***

(d) ***

Inert ingredients	Limits	Uses
***	***	***
Aluminum sulfate.....	***	Solvent adjuvant.
***	***	***
N,N-Bis(2-omega-hydroxypoly (oxyethylene)ethyl)alkylamines: the reaction product of 1 mole of N,N-bis(2-hydroxyethyl)alkylamine and 3 moles of ethylene oxide. The alkyl groups C ₁₂ -C ₁₈ are derived from tallow, soybean, or cottonseed acids.	***	Surfactants, related adjuvants of surfactants.
***	***	***
Butadiene-styrene copolymer.	***	Adhesive, component of adhesive.
***	***	***
1,3-Butylene glycol dimethacrylate.	Not more than 0.1% of pesticide formulation.	Stabilizer.
***	***	***
Condensation product of ortho-phenylphenol with 5 moles of ethylene oxide.	***	Stabilizer.
***	***	***
Diallyl phthalate.....	Not more than 0.1% of pesticide formulation.	Stabilizer.
***	***	***
Isopropylbenzene.....	***	Solvent, cosolvent.
***	***	***

(c) * * *

Inert Ingredients	Limits	Uses
***	***	***
α-Linolenyl-omega-hydroxypoly (oxyethylene), average molecular weight of 600.	***	Emulsifier.
***	***	***
α-Oleoyl-omega-hydroxypoly (oxyethylene), average molecular weight of 600.	***	Emulsifier.
***	***	***
α-Stearoyl-omega-hydroxypoly (oxyethylene), average molecular weight of 600.	***	Emulsifier.

[FR Doc.75-8047 Filed 3-28-75;8:45 am]

Title 43—Public Lands: Interior SUBTITLE A—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR

PART 2—RECORDS AND TESTIMONY

Correction

In FR Doc. 75-4505, appearing at page 7304 in the issue for Wednesday, February 19, 1975, on page 7306 in paragraph (c) (7) (i) in the first line the second word should read "with" instead of "wies".

CHAPTER II—BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

APPENDIX—PUBLIC LAND ORDERS

[PUBLIC LAND ORDER 5493; Arizona
7951]

ARIZONA

Amendment of Executive Order No. 8039;
Change of Name and Transfer of Jurisdiction of the Cabeza Prieta Game Range

By virtue of the authority vested in the President, and pursuant to Executive Order No. 10355 of May 26, 1952 (17 FR 4831), it is ordered as follows:

1. Executive Order No. 8039 of January 26, 1939, which established the Cabeza Prieta Game Range, which is now under the joint administration of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service and the Bureau of Land Management, is hereby amended to change the name from the Cabeza Prieta Game Range to the Cabeza Prieta National Wildlife Refuge, and to transfer the subject refuge to the sole jurisdiction of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, so far as it relates to the following described lands:

GILA AND SALT RIVER MERIDIAN

Tps. 11, 12, 13 S., R. 7 W.

T. 14 S., R. 7 W.

Secs. 1 through 18.

Tps. 11, 12, 13 S., R. 8 W.

T. 14 S., R. 8 W.

Secs. 1 through 21, 28 through 33.

T. 15 S., R. 8 W.

Secs. 4 through 9, 16 through 21, 28 through 33.

T. 16 S., R. 8 W.

Secs. 4 through 9, 16 through 21, 28 through 33.

T. 17 S., R. 8 W.

Secs. 4, 6, 8, and 9.

Tps. 12 through 17 S., R. 9 W.

Tps. 12 through 16 S., R. 10 W.

Tps. 12 through 16 S., R. 11 W.

Tps. 12 through 15 S., R. 12 W.

Tps. 12 through 15 S., R. 13 W.

Tps. 12 through 15 S., R. 14 W.

Tps. 12, 13, 14 S., R. 15 W.

Tps. 12, 13, 14 S., R. 16 W.

Tps. 12, 13, 14 S., R. 17 W.

Tps. 12 and 13 S., R. 18 W.

The area described aggregates approximately 940,000 acres, including both public and nonpublic lands in Yuma and Pima Counties.

2. This order is approved expressly subject to the following proclamations, orders, agreements, memoranda of understanding, and/or acts of Congress:

a. The reservation made by the Proclamation of May 27, 1907, reserving all public lands within 60 feet of the International Boundary between the United States and Mexico.

b. The reservation made by Executive Order No. 8892 of September 5, 1941.

c. The order of the Secretary of the Interior of November 6, 1942 (Public Land Order 56).

d. The order of Acting Secretary of the Interior of March 16, 1943 (Public Land Order 97).

e. The provisions of the Act of Congress approved August 24, 1962 (76 Stat. 399, Pub. L. 87-597).

f. The Memorandum of Understanding approved by the Under Secretary of the Air Force, Under Secretary of the Navy, and Secretary of the Interior on October 23, 1959, December 9, 1959, and February 26, 1960, respectively, in connection with the Luke Williams Air Force Range.

ROGERS C. B. MORTON,
Secretary of the Interior.

MARCH 21, 1975.

[FR Doc.75-8146 Filed 3-28-75;8:45 am]

Title 45—Public Welfare

CHAPTER I—OFFICE OF EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE

PART 103—RESEARCH AND TRAINING, EXEMPLARY AND CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS IN VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Exemplary Projects in Vocational Education Additional Criteria for Selection of Applicants for Fiscal Year 1975

On January 2, 1975, there was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER at 40 FR 8, a notice of proposed rule making which set forth additional criteria for applications for grants under Part D of the Vocational Education Act of 1963, as amended, 20 U.S.C. 1302(c).

Interested persons were given until February 3, 1975 to submit comments, suggestions, or objections to the proposed criteria. One comment was received which reads as follows:

* * * recommends that the criteria under which awards are made for Exemplary Projects in Vocational Education be amended to include "Its promotion of male and female participation in occupational (vocational)

areas and programs which have tended to attract single sex enrolment." The thrust of this criteria would be to remove sex stereotyping and sex discrimination.

While the suggestion is timely and of a great deal of concern to the U.S. Office of Education, it is felt that the suggestion could be developed more appropriately as a program component under future Exemplary Projects in Vocational Education than as an added selection criteria for Fiscal Year 1975. Consequently, the U.S. Office of Education has determined that a focus on the elimination of sex stereotyping in occupational areas will be taken under advisement as a program component in Fiscal Year 1976 under Part D of the Vocational Education Act of 1963, as amended, 20 U.S.C. 1302(c).

The criteria therefore, are issued as originally published without change, as set forth below.

Effective date. Since the criteria are to be issued as originally published in the FEDERAL REGISTER under notice of proposed rule making without change, the criteria shall be effective March 31, 1975. (Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance No. 13.502; Vocational Exemplary Projects)

Dated: February 25, 1975.

T. H. BELL,
U.S. Commissioner of Education.

Approved: March 25, 1975.

CASPAR W. WEINBERGER,
Secretary of Health, Education,
and Welfare.

Appendix A of Part 103 is revised as follows:

APPENDIX A

EXEMPLARY PROJECTS IN VOCATIONAL EDUCATION—ADDITIONAL CRITERIA FOR FISCAL YEAR 1975

A. **Priority of Awards.** In the granting of awards from funds available for the program (in addition to consideration of the criteria in 45 CFR 103.25 and 45 CFR 100a.26), the Commissioner has authority to give priority to applications which rank high on the basis of such criteria and which propose projects that involve, in one operational setting at the senior high school level, all of the following features:

1. A strong emphasis on guidance, counseling, placement, and continuing follow-up services.

2. A coordinated demonstration of the cluster concept for occupational preparation, utilizing at least five different occupational cluster programs which have been developed through previous local, State, and/or Federal research and development efforts. (The selected cluster programs should range from those dealing with public service and human service occupations through those dealing with manufacturing and construction occupations. The selected cluster programs should be implemented and demonstrated in such a way as to include a high level of involvement of educational, business, industrial, labor and professional organizations and institutions both in the classroom and in the provision of work experience and/or cooperative education opportunities.)

3. Articulation with occupational awareness and exploration programs in feeder schools at the elementary and junior high school levels and with occupational preparation programs at both the secondary and the post-secondary levels.

In addition to the three program requirements stated above, applicants may choose to include strategies designed to familiarize secondary school students with the broad range of occupations for which special skills are required and the requisites for careers in such occupations.

(20 U.S.C. 1301, 1302(c), 1303)

B. Financial Sources for Projects. Since comprehensive exemplary projects will require substantial financial resources, consideration should be given in the project design to the possible coordination with relevant programs supported from other sources.

(20 U.S.C. 1301, 1303(a))

C. Application Review Criteria. Criteria will be utilized by the Federal and non-Federal reviewers in reviewing formally transmitted applications in fiscal year 1975. These criteria are consistent with 45 CFR 100a.26 and 103.25. Segments or a segment of the application must address each criterion area. Each criterion area is weighted and includes the maximum score that can be given to a segment of an application in relation to the criteria. The criteria and maximum weights for each criterion area are as follows:

Maximum
score

Criteria

- 28 (1) **Program or Project Purpose**—The application will be evaluated on the extent to which it relates the proposed program or project to the following broad purposes of the Part D portion of the Vocational Education Amendments of 1968, P.L. 90-576.
- (a) The proposed program or project's potential for reducing the level of youth unemployment.
 - (b) Its potential contribution to creating bridges between school and earning a living for young people, to promoting cooperation between public education and manpower agencies, and to broadening occupational aspirations and opportunities for young people.
 - (c) Its emphasis on services for youths who have academic, socio-economic, or other handicaps.
 - (d) Its relevance to priority areas in vocational education as reflected in the Vocational Education Amendments of 1968, P.L. 90-576, and
 - (e) Its utilization of new approaches or tested innovations which have emerged from recent research.

(20 U.S.C. 1301, 1302(c), 1303)

- 72 (2) **Priority Area**—The application will be evaluated on the extent to which it provides for the following three components:
- (a) **Guidance Services**—including testing, counseling, placement and continuing follow-up services as these relate to the occupational development, preparation, and placement needs of the young people to be served.
 - (b) **Occupational preparation** through coordinated cluster programs—The pro-

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Criteria

posed program or project should utilize at least five different occupational cluster programs that have been developed through previous local, State, and/or Federal research and development efforts. (The cluster programs selected should range from those dealing with public service and human service occupations through those dealing with manufacturing and construction occupations. The selected cluster programs should also be implemented and demonstrated in such a way as to include a high level of involvement of educational, business, industrial, labor, and professional organizations and institutions both in the classroom and in the provision of work experience and/or cooperative education opportunities.)

- (c) **Articulation**—The application should provide for articulation of the cluster programs with existing or ongoing occupational awareness and exploration programs, in feeder schools at the elementary and junior high school levels, which have already permitted the young person to reach a tentative occupational choice. In addition, articulation should be provided with existing secondary and post-secondary occupational preparation programs so that the unnecessary duplication of preparation activities is avoided and the progress of a young person, through a preparation sequence leading to job placement and/or further education, is facilitated.

When the application includes strategies designed to familiarize secondary school students with occupations and the special skills required for them, it will be evaluated:

- (a) On the extent to which a comprehensive array of occupations is included.
- (b) On the extent to which the coverage of training options includes those options at the secondary, post-secondary, and higher education levels in both the public and private sectors, and
- (c) On the extent to which a broad range of educational, business, industrial, labor, and professional people are involved in the development and delivery of such information to young people.

(20 U.S.C. 1301, 1302(c), 1303)

- 32 (3) **Need**—The application should describe how the need for the project was determined, such as

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score

Criteria

what types of surveys and analyses were performed and what interactions took place with students, parents, community, business, industrial, labor, and professional groups.

(20 U.S.C. 1301, 1302(c), 1303)

- 28 (4) **Plan of Operation**—The application will be evaluated on the extent to which it provides a clear description of the strategies which will be used to meet the identified needs, including:
- (a) A clear description of realistically attainable, measurable objectives.
 - (b) Procedures for achieving the identified objectives which are appropriate, technically sound, detailed, and which appear practical for wide use in vocational education.
 - (c) A plan for a third-party evaluation which will measure the overall effectiveness of the program or project and will determine the extent to which each of the individual objectives is achieved, and
 - (d) An adequate management plan, including a PERT chart or some other chart showing critical completion dates, man hours by project staff, and the other resources to be devoted to each of the project objectives.

(20 U.S.C. 1301, 1302(c), 1303)

- 12 (5) **Results**—The application will be evaluated on the extent to which it:
- (a) Identifies proposed results or end products anticipated, and how they will be disseminated.
 - (b) Specifies the procedures that will be used for making materials, techniques, and other outputs resulting from the project available to all those concerned with the improvement of vocational and technical education, and
 - (c) Lists specific steps that will be taken by the applicant organization to ensure that successful aspects of the program or project will be incorporated into vocational education programs supported with other funds.

(20 U.S.C. 1301, 1302(c), 1303)

- 16 (6) **Personnel**—The application will be evaluated on the extent to which the qualifications and experience of the personnel are appropriate for the proposed project.

(20 U.S.C. 1301, 1302(c), 1303)

- 08 (7) **Facilities and Equipment**—The application will be evaluated on the extent to which the applicant organization has committed itself to the provision of adequate facilities and equipment necessary for the success of the project.

(20 U.S.C. 1301, 1302(c), 1303)

- 12 (8) *Cost Effectiveness*—The application will be evaluated on the extent to which:

- (a) The estimated cost appears reasonable in the light of anticipated results.
- (b) The applicant organization has secured documented assurance of support from other cooperating agencies or institutions when this appears necessary to the success of the project, and
- (c) The proposed program or project is of sufficient scope to make a significant contribution to the improvement of vocational education.

(20 U.S.C. 1301, 1302(c), 1303)

- (9) In addition to the above selection criteria, no project may be funded under Section 142(c), Part D, of P.L. 90-576 unless the following conditions are met:

- (a) The application includes suitable procedures to assure that Federal funds made available for the project will not be commingled with State or local funds.

(20 U.S.C. 1303(b) (1) (C))

- (b) Provisions are made for the genuine and meaningful participation of students enrolled in nonprofit private schools in the area to be served, when their educational needs are of the type the project is designed to meet.

- (c) The application includes realistic procedures for coordinating the activities of the proposed project with other programs and projects having the same or similar purposes and with the State Plan for Vocational Education.

- (d) If the application is being submitted by any type of applicant organization other than a State Board for Vocational Education or a local education agency, a convincing case is made that the project would represent an especially significant contribution to achieving the objectives of Part D of the Vocational Education Amendments of 1968, P.L. 90-576.

(20 U.S.C. 1301, 1302(c), 1303)

- (e) Copies of the application have been submitted to the appropriate State Board of Vocational Education for its review. (The Commissioner will not approve any application for a proposed program or project if the State board has notified the Commissioner of its disapproval of such program or project within 60 days of its submission to the State board by the applicant.)

(20 U.S.C. 1303(b) (8))

[FR Doc. 75-8274 Filed 8-28-75; 8:45 am]

CHAPTER X—COMMUNITY SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

PART 1060—GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS OF COMMUNITY ACTION PROGRAMS

Subpart—CSA Income Poverty Guidelines

This subpart revises the CSA (formerly OEO) poverty guidelines as required by the Community Services Act of 1974. The guidelines are used to determine program eligibility. Accordingly, Chapter X Part 1060 of Title 45 of the Code of Federal Regulations is revised to read as follows:

Subpart—CSA Income Poverty Guidelines

- Sec.
- 1060.2-1 Applicability.
- 1060.2-2 Background.
- 1060.2-3 Policy.

AUTHORITY: Sec. 602, 78 Stat. 528, U.S.C. 2942.

Subpart—CSA Income Poverty Guidelines

§ 1060.2-1 Applicability.

This subpart applies to all programs financially assisted under Titles II and III-B of the Community Services Act of 1974, if such assistance is administered by the Community Services Administration.

§ 1060.2-2 Background.

In August 1967, OEO issued uniform income guidelines for all programs it funds which use income to determine program eligibility. These guidelines were derived from poverty thresholds developed from a definition of poverty prepared for statistical purposes by the Social Security Administration in 1964. OEO revised its guidelines in 1968, 1970, 1971, 1972, and 1974 to reflect increases in consumer prices.

§ 1060.2-3 Policy.

- (a) The Community Services Act of 1974 requires the following:

Section 625(a) Every agency administering programs authorized by this Act in which the poverty line is a criterion of eligibility shall revise the poverty line at annual intervals, or at any shorter interval it deems feasible and desirable.

- (b) The revision required by paragraph (a) of this section shall be accomplished by multiplying the official poverty line (as defined by the Office of Management and Budget) by the percentage change in the Consumer Price Index during the annual or other interval immediately preceding the time at which the revision is made.

- (c) Revisions required by paragraph (a) of this section shall be made and issued not more than 30 days after the date on which the necessary consumer price index data becomes available.

Pursuant to the above requirements the attached income poverty guidelines were prepared. These were based upon Table A-3 of Current Population Reports, P-60, No. 98, Bureau of the Census, January 1975, and the percentage change in the Consumer Price Index from 1973 to 1974 as set forth in Table C-44 of the Economic Report of the President, February 1975.

(b) The following definitions, derived mainly from Current Population Reports, P-60, No. 94, Bureau of Census, July 1974, have been adopted by CSA for use with the attached poverty guidelines.

(1) *Income*. Refers to total cash receipts after direct taxes, such as state and Federal income taxes and social security taxes, from all sources. These include money wages and salaries but do not include food or rent in lieu of wages. They include receipts from self-employment or from own farm or business after deductions for business or farm expenses. They include regular payments for public assistance, social security, unemployment and workmen's compensation, strike benefits from union funds, veterans benefits, training stipends, alimony, child support and military family allotments or other regular support from an absent family member or someone not living in the household; government employee pensions, private pensions and regular insurance or annuity payments; and income from dividends, interest, rents, royalties or income from estates and trusts. For eligibility purposes, income does not refer to the following money receipts: any assets drawn down as withdrawals from a bank, sale of property, house or car, tax refunds, gifts, one-time insurance payments or compensation for injury; also to be disregarded is noncash income, such as the bonus value of food and fuel produced and consumed on farms and the imputed value of rent from owner-occupied farm or nonfarm housing.

(2) *A farm residence*. Is defined as any dwelling on a place of 10 acres or more with \$50 or more annual sales of farm products raised there; or any place less than 10 acres having product sales of \$250 or more.

(c) These new income guidelines are to be used for all those CSA funded programs, whether administered by a grantee or delegate agency, which use CSA income poverty guidelines as admission standards. This revision of the income guidelines does not require current programs which have full enrollments to consider additional applicants. Agencies shall reflect new income guidelines in reports required by CSA and submitted after April 30, 1975. The new income guidelines do not supersede alternative standards of eligibility approved by CSA for Special Programs.

(d) These guidelines are also to be used in certain other instances where required by CSA as a definition of poverty; e.g., for purposes of data collection and for defining eligibility for allowances and reimbursements to board members. Agencies may wish to use these guidelines for other administrative and statistical purposes as appropriate. If current income is substantially less than last year's income, equivalent to qualifying the family for public welfare, the annual income may be estimated as twelve times the current monthly income for purposes of defining eligibility.

Effective date: This subpart shall become effective on April 30, 1975.

BERT A. GALLEGOS,
Director.

ATTACHMENT A

CSA poverty guidelines for all States except Alaska and Hawaii

Family size	Nonfarm family	Farm family
1.....	\$2,590	\$2,300
2.....	3,410	2,900
3.....	4,230	3,600
4.....	5,050	4,300
5.....	5,870	5,000
6.....	6,690	5,700

For family units with more than 6 members add \$820 for each additional member in a nonfarm family and \$700 for each additional member in a farm family.

CSA income poverty guidelines for Alaska

Family size	Nonfarm family	Farm family
1.....	\$3,250	\$2,750
2.....	4,270	3,620
3.....	5,290	4,490
4.....	6,310	5,360
5.....	7,330	6,230
6.....	8,350	7,100

For family units with more than 6 members add \$1,020 for each additional member in a nonfarm family and \$870 for each additional member in a farm family.

CSA income poverty guidelines for Hawaii

Family size	Nonfarm family	Farm family
1.....	\$2,900	\$2,540
2.....	3,930	3,340
3.....	4,870	4,140
4.....	5,810	4,940
5.....	6,750	5,740
6.....	7,690	6,540

For family units with more than 6 members add \$940 for each additional member in a nonfarm family and \$800 for each additional member in a farm family.

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Title 49—Transportation

SUBTITLE A—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION

[OST Docket No. 18; Amdt. No. 21-3]

PART 21—NONDISCRIMINATION IN FEDERALLY-ASSISTED PROGRAMS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION—EFFECTUATION OF TITLE VI OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1964

Miscellaneous Amendment

The purpose of this amendment is to delete the date for the submission of an annual report required by subsection (b) (3) of Appendix C to Part 21 of the Regulations of the Secretary of Transportation (49 CFR Part 21, App. C(b) (3)). Deletion of the date will permit the Federal Aviation Administrator to prescribe the date by which the report shall be filed.

That annual report requires submission by Federally-assisted airport operators of information nearly identical to the information submitted to the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission in Form EEO-4 which is required to be filed on or before July 30 of each year. To relieve those who are required to file

from the need to duplicate the effort of compiling the information, the Department of Transportation is deleting its reporting date and permitting the Federal Aviation Administrator to prescribe the date.

Because this amendment does not impose an additional burden on those affected by the reporting requirement, I find that public notice and procedure thereon are not necessary, and that it may become effective in less than 30 days.

In consideration of the foregoing, subsection (b) (3) of Appendix C to Part 21 of the Regulations of the Secretary of Transportation is hereby amended to read as follows:

(b) *Obligations of the airport operator—*

(3) *Reports.* Each airport owner subject to this part shall, within 15 days after he receives it, forward to the Area Manager of the FAA Area in which the airport is located a copy of each written complaint charging discrimination because of race, color, or national origin by any person subject to this part, together with a statement describing all actions taken to resolve the matter, and the results thereof. Each airport operator shall submit to the area manager of the FAA area in which the airport is located a report for the preceding year on the date and in a form prescribed by the Federal Aviation Administrator.

Issued in Washington, D.C., on March 21, 1975.

WILLIAM T. COLEMAN, Jr.,
Secretary of Transportation.

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CHAPTER X—INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

SUBCHAPTER A—GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

PART 1033—CAR SERVICE

[S.O. No. 1202; Amdt. 1]

Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad Co. Authorized To Operate Over Tracks of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad Company

MARCH 26, 1975.

At a Session of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Railroad Service Board, held in Washington, D.C., on the 25th day of March, 1975.

Upon further consideration of Service Order No. 1202 (39 FR 40765), and good cause appearing therefor:

It is ordered, That:

§ 1033.1202 Service Order No. 1202.

(Missouri - Kansas - Texas Railroad Company authorized to operate over tracks of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad Company. Be, and it is hereby, amended by substituting the following paragraph (d) for paragraph (d) thereof:

(d) *Expiration date.* The provisions of this order shall expire at 11:59 p.m., Sep-

tember 30, 1975, unless otherwise modified, changed, or suspended by order of this Commission.

Effective date. This amendment shall become effective at 11:59 p.m., March 31, 1975.

(Secs. 1, 12, 15, and 17(2), 24 Stat. 379, 383, 384, as amended (49 U.S.C. 1, 12, 15, and 17 (2)). Interprets or applies Secs. 1(10-17), 15(4), and 17(2), 40 Stat. 101, as amended, 54 Stat. 911; 49 U.S.C. 1(10-17), 15(4), and 17(2).)

It is further ordered, That a copy of this amendment shall be served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of all railroads subscribing to the car service and car hire agreement under the terms of that agreement, and upon the American Short Line Railroad Association; and that notice of this amendment be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the Office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D.C., and by filing it with the Director, Office of the Federal Register.

By the Commission, Railroad Service Board.

[SEAL]

ROBERT L. OSWALD,
Secretary.

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CHAPTER V—NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

[Docket No. 3-3; Notice 7]

PART 571—FEDERAL MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY STANDARDS

Flammability of Interior Materials

This notice modifies the test procedures and specimen preparation requirements of Motor Vehicle Safety Standard No. 302, *Flammability of interior materials* (49 CFR 571.302). A notice of proposed rulemaking was issued on May 17, 1973 (38 FR 12934).

Several comments on the notice of proposed rulemaking suggested exempting small components on the basis of size because of the confusion caused by paragraph S4.1. This agency has not found, however, that the exemption of a component on the basis of size is consistent with safety. Rather, NHTSA finds that if a component is too small to produce an acceptable test sample, a test sample consisting of the material from which the component is fabricated should be substituted. Consequently, a new section S4.1.1 has been added to require surrogate testing of such components as switches, knobs, gaskets, and grommets which are considered too small to be effectively tested under the current procedures.

A previous notice of proposed rulemaking (36 FR 9565) suggested a scheme for testing single and composite materials that would allow the testing of certain configurations of vehicle interior materials not taken into account under the present scheme. Examples of such configurations are multi-layered composites and single layers of underlying